

Zoning Board of Appeals Agenda Tuesday, June 15, 2021 5:30 P.M. – City Council Chambers, 2nd floor, City Hall 425 East State Street Rockford, IL 61104 779-348-7423

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ZBA 003-21 111 South Perryville Road

Applicant Lamar Advertising

Ward 1 **Special Use Permit** for the modification of an existing legally nonconforming

billboard to an electronic graphic display billboard in a C-2, Limited Commercial

Zoning District (Referred back to ZBA by City Council)

ZBA 021-21Applicant

6684 Newburg Road
Julia & Roberto Flores

Ward 14 Zoning Map Amendment from C-1, Limited Office Zoning District to R-1, Single-

family Residential Zoning District

ZBA 022-21 4405 Highcrest Road

Applicant Anthony Perna for Provena St. Anne Center

Ward 2 Variation to increase the maximum allowed square footage of a freestanding sign

for a nonresidential use in a Residential District from 48 square feet to 57.5 square feet along North Alpine Road in an R-1, Single-family Residential Zoning District

ZBA 023-21 <u>1238 East State Street</u>

Applicant Jennifer Kuroda for Swedish American Realty Corporation

Ward 3 **Special Use Permit** for a Mural on a building in a C-1, Limited Office Zoning

District

ZBA 024-20 311 15th Avenue, 1706 Magnolia Street, 1611 & 1711 Seminary Street

Applicant Attorney Sherry Harlan for International Women's Baseball Center and Rockford

Park District

Ward 5 & 11 Special Use Permit for a Planned Unit Development for a museum campus,

activities center, baseball field and parking lot in an I-1, Light Industrial Zoning

District and R-2, Two-family Residential Zoning District

ZBA 025-21 765 North Madison Street

Applicant City of Rockford/ Rockford Public Library

Ward 3 Special Use Permit for a Mural on a building in a C-4, Urban Mixed-Use Zoning

District

ZBA 026-21

Applicant

Text Amendment

City of Rockford

Text Amendment of the City of Rockford Zoning Ordinance to Article 80-009-D. All properties in Commercial and Residential Districts with gravel driveways and/or gravel parking lots legally established shall conform to the regulations contained in Section 50-013-A of this Ordinance by November 1, 2023. Nothing in this provision allows illegally established nonconforming parking lots and driveways to remain.

ZBA MEETING FORMAT & PROCESS

The format of the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) meeting will follow the Boards Rules of Procedure generally outlined as:

The Chairman will call the address of the application.

- The Applicant or representative will come forward and be sworn in.
- The Applicant or representative will present their request before the Board
- The Board will ask any questions they may have regarding this application.
- The Chairman will then ask if there are any Objectors or Interested Parties. Objectors or Interested Parties are to come forward at that time, be sworn in by the Chairman, and give their name to the Zoning Board of Appeals secretary and the stenographer
- The Objector or Interested Party will present all their concerns, objections and questions to the Applicant regarding the application.
- The Board will ask any questions they may have of the Objector or Interested Party.
- The Applicant will have an opportunity to rebut the concerns/questions of the Objector or Interested Party
- No further discussion from the Objector or Interested Party will occur after the rebuttal of the Applicant.
- The Board will then discuss the application and a vote will be taken.

The ZBA meeting is not a final vote on any item. However, it is the only time in which the public may participate. After the ZBA meeting, the item moves on to the Code & Regulation Committee. Although the public is invited to attend the meeting, public input is not allowed at the committee meeting. The date of the Code & Regulation meeting will be Monday, June 28, 2021 at 5:30 PM in City Council Chambers (2nd floor of City Hall) as the second vote on these items. The third and final meeting in this process is the City Council. That vote is tentatively scheduled on Tuesday, July 6, 2021. If for any reason the item is laid over at the committee level or on the city council floor, the item is automatically laid over for two (2) weeks. The dates are then subject to change. Please note that City Council meeting are the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month and Committee meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month. If you are unsure of when the next meeting will take place, please contact the zoning office at 779-348-7423.